

SENATE BILL 3216

By Watson

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 59
and Title 69, relative to mining.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 59-8-202(3), is amended by deleting the language "board of reclamation review as created by the Tennessee Coal Surface Mining Law of 1980, compiled in part 3 of this chapter" and by substituting instead the language "Tennessee water quality control board established by § 69-3-104".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 59-8-202(5), is amended by deleting the language "division of surface mining and reclamation" and by substituting instead the language "division of water pollution control".

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 59-8-202(7)(A), is amended by deleting the language "but does not include limestone, coal, marble, chert or dimension stone" and by substituting instead the language "but does not include coal".

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 59-8-202(7)(B), is amended by deleting the language "but does not include limestone, coal, marble, chert, gravel, sand or dimension stone" and by substituting instead the language "but does not include coal, gravel, or sand".

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.